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SUBJ: REQUEST FOR RECIPROCAL AMATEUR RADIO LICENSE

- 1. THE EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED A LETTER FROM WILLI VOLLEN-WEIDER, AUF DER STEIG, 8444 HENGGART, SWITZERLAND, REGARDING HIS EFFORTS TO OBTAIN A PERMIT TO OPERATE AN AMATEUR RADIO IN THE US UNDER THE US-SWISS AGREEMENT EFFECTED BY THE EXCHANGE OF NOTES ON JANUARY 12 AND MAY 16, 1967. HE HAS A SWISS AMATEUR LICENSE DATED JUNE 6, 1973.
- 2. ACCORDING TO VOLLENWEIDER, HE WROTE TWICE TO THE FCC IN WASHINGTON REQUESTING COPIES OF FCC FORM 610-A BUT RECEIVED NO ANSWER. HE THEN OBTAINED A COPY OF THE FORM FROM A FRIEND AND SUBMITTED IT ABOUT TWO MONTHS AGO BUT HAS STILL RECEIVED NO REPLY. HE PLANS TO TRAVEL TO THE US ON AUGUST 11 AND HAS ASKED THE EMBASSY'S ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING PERMISSION FOR HIM TO OPERATE AN AMATEUR RADIO DURING HIS MONTH-LONG VISIT TO THE US.
- 3. ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE ADVISE IF VOLLENWEIDER'S APPLICATION WAS RECEIVED AND, IF SO, IF THERE IS ANY PROBLEM IN GRANTING HIM A RECIPROCAL LICENSE. IF THE APPLICATION WAS NOT RECEIVED, CAN VOLLENWEIDER OBTAIN A LICENSE FOR USE DURING HIS STAY FROM THE FCC'S FIELD OFFICE IN HOUSTON WHERE HE WILL BEGIN HIS VISIT. ODELL

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